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Tēnā koe

I refer to your email of 19 March 2022 in which you request the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

- Copies of any of reports, correspondence, or emails, both internal and external mentioning the business Crime Scene Cleaners, up to January 31, 2022.
- Copies of any payments, itemised by date and amount, made to Crime Scene Cleaners since the business was established in 2010, up to January 31, 2022.

The information sought in this request is to be used as part of a media report about Crime Scene Cleaners' publicly funded work.

The Ministry has been unable to locate any information within scope of your request. Accordingly, your request is refused under section 18(g) of the OIA, as the information requested is not held by the Ministry.

Please note that we may publish this letter (with your personal details redacted) on the Ministry's website.

If you have any questions about this decision, you can contact us by email at: DM-ESD@mfat.govt.nz. You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision by contacting www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



Julie-Anne Lee
for Secretary of Foreign Affairs and Trade